

REMARKS

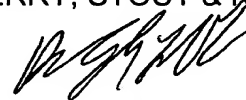
In the Office Action of June 12, 2003, Claims 1, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13 and 15 were allowed. Claim 14 was rejected. In the Amendment of September 3, 2003, Applicants amended Claim 14. In the Advisory Action of October 14, 2003, the Examiner indicated that the amendment was not entered and that the rejection of Claim 14 was maintained.

In response, Claim 14 is canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. It is respectfully submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance with allowed Claims 1, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13 and 15. Favorable action is respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further is necessary to place this application in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

Kindly charge any additional fees due, or credit overpayment of fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (612.38836X00).

Respectfully submitted,
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